H. R. 242.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES,

August 26, 1852.

Read twice, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

AN ACT

Making appropriations for the transportation of the United States mail by ocean steamers and otherwise, during the fiscal year ending the thirtieth of June, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-three.

- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Repre-
- 2 sentatives of the United States of America in Congress
- 3 assembled, That the following sums be, and the same are
- 4 hereby appropriated, to be paid out of any money in the
- 5 treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the year ending
- 6 the thirtieth of June, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-
- 7 three:
- 8 For transportation of the mails from New York to
- 9 Liverpool and back, eight hundred and fifty-eight thousand
- 10 dollars.
- 11 For transportation of the mails from New York
- 12 to New Orleans, Charleston, Savannah, Havanna, and

For transportation of the mails from Panama to Cal-14 ifornia and Oregon, and back, three hundred and forty-15

eight thousand two hundred and fifty dollars. 16

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SECT. 2. And be it further enacted, That the fol-1 lowing sums be, and the same are hereby appropriated for the service of the Post Office Department, for the year ending the thirtieth of June, one thousand eight hundred 4 and fifty-three, out of any moneys in the treasury arising 5 from the revenues of said department, in conformity to the 6 act of the second of July, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six:

For transportation of the mails in two steamships, 9 from New York, by Southampton, to Bremen and back, at 14 one hundred thousand dollars for each ship, and in two 12 steamships from New York, by Cowes, to Havre and back, 13 at seventy-five thousand dollars for each ship, under the 14 contract with the Ocean Steam Navigation Company, of 15 New York, in addition to an unexpended balance of former 16 appropriations, two hundred and ninety-four thousand 17 dollars

18 For transportation of the mails between Charleston and Havana, under the contract with M. C. Mordecai, fifty 20 thousand dollars.

21 For transportation of the mails across the Isthmus of Panama, one hundred thousand dollars.

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22 of Panama, one hundred thousand dollars.

Passed the House of Representatives, August 23, 1852

Attest:

JOHN W. FORNEY, Clerk.